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SUBJ: IMPENDING TRANSFER OF TEPCO ENRICHMENT CONTRACTS

FOR SHILLER AND GARRETT, DIP

1. TEPCO FUEL PLANNING GROUP VISITED TOKYO OFFICE TO INFORM SCIREP OF IMPENDING MEETING JULY 24 WITH JAPCO, SHIKOKU, HODDAIDO AND KANSAI ELECTRIC COMPANIES, WHO HAVE ONE, ONE, TWO AND THREE CONDITIONAL CONTRACTS RESPECTIVELY, FOR PURPOSE OF NEGOTIATING REASSIGNMENT OF LAST FOUR TEPCO FIXED COMMITMENT CONTRACTS (UES/JA 120, 121, 122, 123), ONE TO EACH ABOVE UTILITIES.

2. TEPCO LONG RANGE PLANS NOW REQUIRE NO MORE ENRICHMENT SERVICES FROM U.S. BEYOND 1988. IT IS UNCLEAR AT THIS TIME WHETHER THIS MEANS THAT TEPCO IS NO LONGER CONSIDERING ADDITIONAL NUCLEAR CAPACITY BEYOND 1988, WHETHER TEPCO IS NO LONGER CONSIDERING ANY ADDITIONAL CAPACITY BEYOND 1988, WHETHER TEPCO NO LONGER CONSIDERS IT NECESSARY TO PLAN IN DETAIL THAT FAR IN THE FUTURE, OR WHETHER TEPCO EXPECTS DOMESTIC OR OTHER FOREIGN ENRICHMENT SERVICES TO BE AVAILABLE AT THAT TIME.

3. IN ANY CASE TEPCO REPS WILL MEET JULY 28 WITH SCIREP TO PROVIDE RESULTS OF TODAY'S NEGOTIATIONS. TEPCO AND SCIREP UNCERTAIN OF MECHANICS NECESSARY TO AFFECT TRANSFER OF CONTRACTS. TEPCO AND OTHER INVOLVED UTILITIES WOULD PREFER NOT TO HAVE TO TRAVEL TO LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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TCH BY CORRESPONDENCE FROM TOKYO IF POSSIBLE. ACCORDINGLY, SCIREP REQUESTS ADVICE ON WHETHER TRANSFER CAN REASONABLY BE AFFECTED BY CORRESPONDENCE THROUGH TOKYO OFFICE, WHETHER REPS FROM EACH UTILITY MUST MEET IN ERDA HQ, OR ALTERNATIVELY WHETHER ERDA HQ REP MIGHT MEET IN TOKYO WITH APPROPRIATE UTILITY COMPANIES.

4. IN CONJUNCTION WITH TRANSFER OF CONTRACTS, LIKELY THAT EACH UTILITY INVOLVED WILL REQUEST CANCELLATION OF EXISTING CONDITIONAL CONTRACT AND PERHAPS ALSO ADJUSTMENT OF AMOUNT SEPARATIVE WORK AND DELIVERY SCHEDULES. ACCORDINGLY, SCIREP PLANS MEETINGS WITH EACH AFFECTED UTILITY AS SOON AS PLANS CRYSTALLIZED, PROBABLY EARLY WEEK OF JULY 28.
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